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SUBJECT: WTDR - FRIEDRICH NAUMANN STIFTUNG

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1. ADDRESS: 9 SCHILLERSTRASSE; D-5300 BONN - BAD GO-  
DESBERG; CABLE: NONE; TELEX: NONE; HANS WOLFGANG  
RUBIN, CHAIRMAN. TELEPHONE: (02221) 35 70 15.

2. SUBJECT ORGANIZATION WAS FOUNDED BY FORMER GERMAN  
FEDERAL PRESIDENT OF FRG, THEODOR HEUSS, IN 1964. IT IS  
A FOUNDATION FINANCED BY PUBLIC FUNDS AND BY PRIVATE  
DONATIONS, THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF WHICH WAS NOT REVEALED.  
THE ORGANIZATION'S PURPOSE AND GOAL IS THE EDUCATION OF  
THE GERMAN PUBLIC AND THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ON THE  
DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE.

3. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: N/A

4. MAJOR FOREIGN FIRMS: N/A.

5. THIS REPORT IS BASED ON INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM THE  
PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE OF SUBJECT FOUNDATION AND ITS  
ANNUAL REPORT. THE FOUNDATION COMPRISES 3 DEPARTMENTS:

1. GERMANY; 2. THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES; 3. THE  
THEODOR-HEUSS-AKADEMIE. THEY ARE ENGAGED IN GIVING  
LECTURES, HOLDING SEMINARS AND DISCUSSIONS, AND CON-  
DUCTING INFORMATION TRIPS FOR GERMAN CITIZENS AS WELL AS

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ECONOMISTS, POLITICIANS, JOURNALISTS, ETC. OF THE

DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. IN ITS REPORT THE FOUNDATION  
REPORTS FOR 1973 EXPENDITURES OF MORE THAN DM 11.0  
MILLION IN AFRICA, ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA. IT EMPLOYED  
36 PERSONS IN THESE AREAS.  
ON THE BASIS OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION THIS PUBLIC  
FOUNDATION MAY BE CONSIDERED A SUITABLE BUSINESS  
CONTACT FOR US FIRMS.

6. DATE OF INFO: 3/75.

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